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Page 37, line 25, delete "display," and insert  
--display is small,--.

Page 39, line 2, delete "is not" and insert --does not--.

Page 41, line 15, delete "number," and insert --name,--.

Page 47, line 26, delete "comes" and insert --becomes--.

Page 48, line 6, delete "comes" and insert --becomes--.

Page 48, line 12, delete "comes" and insert --becomes--.

Page 49, line 3, delete "mode," and insert --mode--.

**IN THE CLAIMS:**

Please revise claims 1-27 as follows:

*a2* *sub* *BA* 1. (Once Amended) An electronic information device comprising:  
a display which uses a material [with] having a memory effect;  
an electric power source [which supplies] for supplying driving power to the display; and  
a controller which, in response to a command to turn off the electric power source which is issued while the display is performing writing by consuming electric power supplied from the electric power source, turns off the electric power source after completion of the writing.

2. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 1, wherein information is written on the display based on image data.

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3. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 2, further comprising [:] an image pick-up unit which picks up an image of an object by use of an image sensor and produces the image data.

4. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 1, wherein information written on the display is a thumbnail picture [which shows] such that a plurality of thumbnail images can be written side by side.

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5. (Once Amended) An electronic information device comprising:

a display which uses a material [with] having a memory effect;

an electric power source [which supplies] for supplying driving power to the display; and

a controller [which performs] for performing the following processes:

an automatic power-off process which turns off the electric power source automatically at a specified time; and

a delay process which, when the display is performing writing by consuming electric power supplied from the electric power source, delays execution of the automatic power-off process so that the electric power source is turned off after completion of the writing.

6. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 5, further comprising:

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a timer [which counts] for counting a specified time period from a specified operation of the electronic information device and [determines] for determining the specified time to turn off the electric power source.

7. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 6, wherein the specified operation includes an operation of a key switch.

8. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 5, wherein information is written on the display based on image data.

9. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 8, further comprising [:] an image pick-up unit [which picks] for picking up an image of an object by use of an image sensor and [produces] for producing the image data.

10. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 5, wherein information written on the display is a thumbnail picture [which shows] such that a plurality of thumbnail images can be written side by side.

11. (Once Amended) An electronic information device comprising:

a display using a material [with] having a memory effect;

a first input member with which an operator [inputs] can input a specified command; and

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a controller which, when the first input member is operated while writing on the display is being performed, invalidates the command sent from the first input member and, when the first input member is operated after completion of the writing, controls the electronic information device in accordance with the command sent from the first input member.

12. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 11, wherein the first input member is [to input] for inputting a command to shut off the supply of electric power to the display.

13. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 11, further comprising:

a second input member with which an operator [inputs] can input a command which is different from the command inputted with the first input member;

wherein, the controller controls the electronic information device in accordance with the command sent from the second input member regardless of whether or not writing on the display is being performed.

14. (Once Amended) [The] An electronic information device according to claim 13, wherein the second input member is a shutter button.

15. (Once Amended) A method of controlling an electronic information device, said method comprising the steps of:

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writing information on a display which uses a material [with] having a memory effect by supplying electric power to the display from an electric power source;

commanding a power-off of the electric power source; and

when a power-off of the electric power source is commanded while the display is performing writing by consuming electric power supplied from the electric power source, executing the power-off command after completion of the writing.

16. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 15, wherein information is written on the display based on image data.

17. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 16, further comprising the step of [:] picking up an image of an object by use of an image sensor and producing the image data.

18. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 15, wherein information written on the display is a thumbnail picture [which shows] such that a plurality of thumbnail images can be written side by side.

19. (Once Amended) A method of controlling an electronic information device, said method comprising:

a write step of writing information on a display which uses a material [with] having a memory effect by supplying electric power to the display from an electric power

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source;

an automatic power-off step of automatically turning off the electric power source at a specified time [automatically]; and

a delay step of, when writing on the display is being performed, delaying execution of the power-off step so that the electric power source is turned off after completion of the writing.

20. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 19, wherein the specified time to turn off the electric power source is determined by a timer which counts a specified time period from a specified operation of the electronic information device.

21. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 20, wherein the specified operation includes an operation of a key switch.

22. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 21, wherein information is written on the display based on image data.

23. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 22, further comprising [:] an image pick-up step of picking up an image of an object by use of an image sensor and producing the image data.

24. (Once Amended) A method of controlling an electronic information device, said method comprising the steps of:

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writing information on a display which uses a material [with] having a memory effect by supplying electric power to the display from an electric power source;

issuing a specified command by operating a first input member; and

when the first input member is operated while writing on the display is being performed, invalidating the command sent from the first input member, and, when the first input member is operated after completion of the writing, controlling the electronic information device in accordance with the command sent from the first input member.

25. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 24, wherein the first input member is [to issue] for issuing a command to shut off the supply of electric power to the display.

26. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 26 further comprising the steps of:

issuing another command by operating a second input member; and

controlling the electronic information device in accordance with the command sent from the second input member regardless of whether or not writing on the display is being performed.

27. (Once Amended) [The] A control method according to claim 26, wherein the second input member is a shutter button.